



**Public Participation Opportunity**  
**Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)**  
**Division of Water Resources (DWR)**  
**Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft Permit Actions**

**August 08, 2016**

Public Notice Number: **MMXVI-015**  
Expiration Date: September 12, 2016

*The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following proposed permit actions and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment. A list of Notices of Intent (NOIs) received by the DWR is available on our DataViewer web page :*

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**Individual NPDES Construction Stormwater Permit**

**Proposed Modifications**

Applicant Name	<b>Collierville School District</b>		
Permit Number	<b>TN0081787</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>VMJ</b>
County	Shelby	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Memphis</b>
Street Address/Location	South of Shelby Road, East of Sycamore Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Collierville, TN 38017		
Description of Activity	construction of a high school and associated facilities; modification adds outfall SW7, with a total drainage area of 1.5 acres, 0 acres of impervious surfaces		
Effluent	stormwater runoff associated with construction activity from Outfalls SW1, SW2, SW3, SW4, SW5, SW6 and SW7		
Receiving Stream	unnamed tributary of Nonconnah Creek for Outfalls SW1, SW2, SW3 SW4, SW5, SW6 and SW7		
Facility Latitude	35.02	Facility Longitude	-89.68

**Individual NPDES Permits**

**Proposed Reissuances**

Applicant Name	<b>Copperhill STP</b>		
Permit Number	<b>TN0024449</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>MTS</b>
County	Polk	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Chattanooga</b>
Street Address/Location	160 Main Street, City Hall		
City and/or Zip Code	Copperhill, TN 37317		
Description of Activity	treatment of municipal sewage		
Effluent	treated municipal wastewater		
Receiving Stream	Ocoee River at mile 37.0		
Facility Latitude	34.99	Facility Longitude	-84.38

Applicant Name	<b>White Bluff STP</b>		
Permit Number	<b>TN0020460</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>MTS</b>
County	Dickson	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Nashville</b>
Street Address/Location	347 Shady Oak Drive		
City and/or Zip Code	White Bluff, TN 37187		
Description of Activity	treatment of domestic sewage using activated sludge		
Effluent	treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	Trace Creek at mile 4.3		
Facility Latitude	36.11	Facility Longitude	-87.22

Applicant Name	<b>Williamson County Schools - Oakview Elementary School</b>		
Permit Number	<b>TN0067873</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>AEWF</b>
County	Williamson	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Nashville</b>
Street Address/Location	2390 Henpeck Lane		
City and/or Zip Code	Franklin, TN 37064		
Description of Activity	Septic tank, recirculating sand filter and UV disinfection		
Effluent	treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	mile 0.6 of an unnamed tributary to Fivemile Creek at mile 1.1		
Facility Latitude	35.87	Facility Longitude	-86.85

## State Operation Permits

### ***Proposed Modifications***

Applicant Name	<b>TN Wastewater Systems - Elk Springs Resort</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-05070</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b>
County	Sevier	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Knoxville</b>
Street Address/Location	Powdermill Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Gatlinburg, TN 37876		
Description of Activity	Septic tanks, effluent collection system, recirculating trickling filter, UV disinfection and drip irrigation. This modification includes a drip-area fence requirement and deletes the E. coli monitoring requirement.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed from this system		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.76	Facility Longitude	-83.46

Applicant Name	<b>TN Wastewater Systems - Starr Crest Resort</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-00019</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b>
County	Sevier	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Knoxville</b>
Street Address/Location	Starr Crest Resorts		
City and/or Zip Code	Pigeon Forge, TN 37863		
Description of Activity	Septic tanks, effluent collection system, recirculating sand filter and drip irrigation. This modification includes a drip-area fence requirement and deletes the E. coli monitoring requirement.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	NA		
Facility Latitude	35.80	Facility Longitude	-83.51

Applicant Name	<b>TN Wastewater Systems - Townsend Town Square</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-99016</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b> Discharger rating <b>Minor</b>
County	Blount	EFO Name	<b>Knoxville</b>
Street Address/Location	Wears Valley Road on Highway 321		
City and/or Zip Code	Townsend, TN 37801		
Description of Activity	Septic tanks, recirculating sand filter, ultraviolet disinfection and drip irrigation. This modification includes a drip-area fence requirement and deletes the E. coli monitoring requirement.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.68	Facility Longitude	-83.74

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#### ***Proposed New Issuances***

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Applicant Name	<b>Gibson County Special School District - South Gibson County Elementary</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-16020</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>JAH</b> Discharger rating <b>Minor</b>
County	Gibson	EFO Name	<b>Jackson</b>
Street Address/Location	Mt. Zion Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Medina, TN 38355		
Description of Activity	Collection system to Jackson Energy Authority - Middle Fork Plant		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed.		
Receiving Stream	unnamed trib to Sugar Creek less than 500'		
Facility Latitude	35.82	Facility Longitude	-88.81

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#### ***Proposed Reissuances***

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Applicant Name	<b>CUDRC - Heatherwood Subdivision (Section II)</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-05042</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>HVA</b> Discharger rating <b>Minor</b>
County	Rutherford	EFO Name	<b>Nashville</b>
Street Address/Location	NW Corner of Intersection of Florence Road and I-24		
City and/or Zip Code	Murfreesboro, TN 37133		
Description of Activity	STEP/STEG collection system discharging to recirculating sand filters thence to drip irrigation with UV disinfection		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed from this system		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.90	Facility Longitude	-86.49

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Applicant Name	<b>City of Piperton - Ridgewood Grove</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-06018</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>JCN</b> Discharger rating <b>Minor</b>
County	Fayette	EFO Name	<b>Memphis</b>
Street Address/Location	SW Corner of Highway 196 and Keough Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Piperton, TN 38303		
Description of Activity	Septic tanks, effluent collection system, Bio Clere recirculating media and drip irrigation.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed from this system		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.03	Facility Longitude	-89.62

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#### ***Proposed Terminations***

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Applicant Name	<b>John Sevier Combine Cycle Plant (JCC)</b>		
Permit Number	<b>SOP-11025</b>	Permit Writer Initials	<b>WDM</b>
County	Hawkins	Discharger rating	<b>Minor</b>
		EFO Name	<b>Johnson City</b>
Street Address/Location	611 Old Highway 70		
City and/or Zip Code	Rogersville, TN 37857		
Description of Activity	Pump and haul of intermittent process wastewater from the generation of electricity by a natural gas fired combustion turbine plant. This activity will continue as a best management practice in the SWPPP implemented via TNR053187.		
Wastewater Description	Intermittant process wastewaters consisting primarily of wash water for three combustion turbine air compressors washed twice per year one at a time. Process wastewater may also include demineralized water, stormwater, system water flushes and equipment blowdown.		
Receiving Stream	NA		
Facility Latitude	36.38	Facility Longitude	-82.96

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## POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:

None

The Division of Water Resources is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

End of List

### How to Comment:

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Resources at William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0686, or by E-mail at [Water.Permits@tn.gov](mailto:Water.Permits@tn.gov). Comments must be received by the public notice expiration date (September 12, 2016).

### How to Request a Public Hearing:

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Resources hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed by the public notice expiration date (September 12, 2016) and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Pollution Control Rule 0400-40-05-.06(12). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

### How the Department will Proceed:

The Director of the Division of Water Resources will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

### To Obtain Permit Details:

Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at <http://state.tn.us/environment/field-offices.shtml>, by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting the following locations during normal business hours:

Environmental Field Office - Chattanooga  
1301 Riverfront Parkway, Suite 206  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
(423) 634-5745  
Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Field Office - Columbia  
1421 Hampshire Pike  
Columbia, TN 38401  
(931) 380-3371  
Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry, Wayne

Environmental Field Office - Cookeville

1221 South Willow Avenue

Cookeville, TN 38506

(931) 432-4015

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren, White

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Environmental Field Office - Jackson

1625 Hollywood Drive

Jackson, TN 38305

(731) 512-1300

Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

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Environmental Field Office - Johnson City

2305 Silverdale Road

Johnson City, TN 37601

(423) 854-5400

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington

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Environmental Field Office - Knoxville

3711 Middlebrook Pike

Knoxville, TN 37921

(865) 594-6035

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

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Environmental Field Office - Memphis

8383 Wolf Lake Drive

Bartlett, TN 38133-4119

(901) 371-3000

Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

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Environmental Field Office - Nashville

711 R.S. Gass Boulevard

Nashville, TN 37243

(615) 687-7000

Ceatham, Davidson, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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### **State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:**

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 0400-40-03-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These Outstanding National Resource Waters (ONRWs) are specifically designated by the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Waters determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Exceptional Tennessee Waters are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed in the Exceptional Tennessee Waters only if the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as waters with available or unavailable conditions. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in waters not identified as ONRWs or Exceptional Tennessee Waters. The Division of Water Resource's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to waters with available or unavailable conditions.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Resources in evaluating any of the above provisions is available upon request.

### **State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:**

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-866-253-5827.

**Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.**